CURRENT COMMENT.

Tax rice in the south promises to be ever 2,000,000 bags, the largest crop yet recorded.

THE square or main part of Gen. Grant's tomb at New York has been finished and the memorial will stand complete in another year.

CONSUL DOEDERLIN at Liepsic, Germany, has made a report to the state department upon the manufacture and use of electric plows in that country. He showed that the plows are operated by electricity much cheaper than by

THE record of train accidents in June Includes 40 collisions, 55 derailments and four other accidents, a total of 99 accidents, in which 35 persons were killed and 83 injured. All accidents which caused no deaths or injuries to persons are omitted.

EXTENDED investigations of much importance to the commercial interests of the United States, having in view the determination of the possibility of growing flax in this country successfully for fiber, have been decided on by the agricultural department.

THE whole number of citizens in the United States liable to military duty is given at 9,948,000, and it was said that it would not be difficult to recruit from this force an army of a million or two of men if an emergency should arise to demand their services.

THE London Daily News announced that there was reason to believe that the international antarctic expedition. as suggested by the international geographical congress at their meeting on July 29, would become an accomplished fact at no distant date.

THE London Times, discussing bimetallism recently, said that France was not likely to accept any ratio but 1514 to 1, and that a ratio of 35 to 1 would not receive attention from the silver men, or the so-called bimetallists, who were really persons with silver securities to sell.

ATLANTA will soon be a city of slabs. Small posts upon which will be inscribed the name of some command during the war, the part it played in the battle of Atlanta and the number of men killed in the engagements on that fateful day on July 23 will be crected in every part of the city.

THE Union Pacific road has supplied each of its claim agents with a camera, so that they will be able to take snap shots of wrecks and of the scene of other accidents where personal injury claims might arise, as photographs are good things to go before a jury with and shut off appeals to the court.

ARCHIDALD COLEMAN and Charles H. Taylor recently started from the capitol steps at Washington for a tramp around the world. They went on a wager of \$500 that they could make the trip without funds, earning their way hey proceed, within fourteen of a Detroit banker and Taylor is a Washington boy.

has been notified by Ambassador Eustis of the unanimous passage by the French chamber of deputies of a resolution looking to the arrangement of a treaty between the United States and France by the terms of which any difference that may hereafter arise between the two countries will be adjusted by arbitration.

A NEW YORK World cable special rays: "A number of weathy Spaniards have addressed a communication to prominent and rich Catholics in France, Austria and England, proposing to raise a fund to purchase Rome from Italy and thus free the pope from his imprisonment and make him again a temporal ruler. Italy's almost bankrupt condition is quoted as a reason for the belief that the government would accept the proposition. The scheme seems wild enough were it not that Italy's condition is rapidly driving her helplessly tax ridden people towards anarchy."

The present oleomargarine laws are liable to soon become practically a dead letter. Certain manufacturers of cotton seed oll are' making a preparation which cannot be distinguished from butter except by an expert. They, however, sell it as cotton seed oil or else give it some fancy name. They say that it is immaterial to them whether people, who buy it, use it for wheel grease or to spread upon bread. But they say it is not sold as butter or for butter, and therefore is not subject to the internal revenue tax on oleomargarine. The manufacturers expect to defeat the law.

THE combination between the Baldwin locomotive works, of Philadelphia, and the Westinghouse Electric Co. to build electric motors has aroused great interest in railroad circles. Mr. Upte graff, of the Westinghouse company, said: "If our plans are successful, and there is every reason to believe that they will be, railroading will be revolutionized. We have figured that lo comotives can be built to run 150 miles per hour, and we will see them going at that rate within a few years. This may seem like a flight of imagination. but it is not. We have the motor and the carriage can be furnished."

THE London Times said recently in discussing the possible consequences of an international bimetallic agreement: "Not France, whose monetary position is secure, but America, would be the first to take advantage, should we be foolish enough to enter into such an agreement. America is the only great country which would really gain by the agreement. But the mere hint that we would enter into an international bimetallic agreement would cause such a scramble for gold that it is very doubtful if any would be left in the Bank of England by the time the agreement was signed."

An 8-story building in course of con-

Four bodies have been recovered from

the ruins and one was missing. The

fire was caused by a man dropping a

THE important announcement was made by President T. H. Sherly, of the

citizens' organization of Louisville,

Ky., that the application for free quar-

ters during the encampment will not

be recioved from Grand Army posts

after August 15. There was an abun-

dance of room, but it was necessary

that applications close at the time

specified so that all assignments may

be made and proper accommodations

THE steamer Catterthun, from China

to Australia, was wrecked on the Seal

The passengers, who numbered seventy

MRS. JENNIE GARPIELD, of New Haven

township, near Owosso, Mich., died

from starvation. Domestic trouble

separated her from her husband and

she brooded over it and decided to

starve herself to death. She took no

An organization was partly effected

at Chicago for the purpose of reclaim-

ing John Brown's fort and sending it

back to Harper's Ferry, where it is

proposed it shall occupy its old site. It is probable that the necessary funds

will be raised among the colored people.

CLEARING house returns for the prin-

cipal cities in the United States for the

week ended July 26 show an uverage

increase as compared with the corre-

sponding week last year of 20 2; in New

York the increase was 23.7; outside New York, 16.3.

THE new republic proposed to be

formed of Nicaragua, Salvador and

Honduras is named Republica Mayor

de Centro America, or the Greater Re-

THE tenth national encampment of

the Union Veterans' union and the

Woman's Veteran Relief union con-

vened at Lima, O., on the 6th to last

A STRIKE was on at the various shafts

the 6th and the foreign element de-

had discharged every colored man in

its employ. They gave the remnant

of the negroes left in the city until

evening to leave and carry off their ef-

feets, after which time their property

A WATERSPOUT in Likeras canyon, N.

garden truck and farms were complete-

children perished while his wife and

one child were badly burned. The

fire caught from a stove and burned

very rapidly, while the family were

THE British minister at China made

a demand upon the Chinese foreign

office for a military escort to enable

him to visit the scene of the recent

masacre at Ku Cheng; also that a de

cree be issued ordering the capital

punishment of the offenders and strin-

gent measures be taken for the pro

tection of all missionaries throughout

THE world's hour bicycle record was

lowered at Dijon, France, by Lesna

who covered the remarkable distance

of 28 miles, 620 yards, within the time

By the capaizing of a sloop yacht a' Brooklyn in the 4th, John Strand and

A COURIER reported that everybody

was killed at Jackson's Hole, Wyo., by

the redskins and the excitement was

intense in the towns in the vicinity.

Every home and cabin of the settlers

had been burned and it was thought

the Indians would continue their work all down the Tatos river valley in Idaho.

Arthur Hemmingway were drowned

Joux Hicks' house was burned at

ly submerged and ruined.

was to be confiscated and destroyed.

public of Central America.

nonrishment for thirty-three days.

lighted match near gasoline.

provided.

struction in New York, fell with a AUGUST-1895. crash on the 8th and a number of the workmen were carried down in the Sun. Mon. Tue. Wed. Thu. Fri. Sat. rains. Two men were instantly killed and several others seriously wounded, 1 2 3 while eleven men were missing. It was said that the disaster was caused by overloading the sixth floor with building material. The contractor 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 and foreman were both arrested. FIRE destroyed the Transfer hotel, at 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 Pendleton, Ore. There were twenty-nine guests in the hotel at the time.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gleaned By Telegraph and Mail

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PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

ADVICES received at Key West, Fla., in the 4th from a trustworthy source in Cuba stated that a great fight had occurred near Baraco, in which Col. sandoval was wounded and that the nsurgents had burned Jiguani and

THE wife of Dr. T. DeWitt Talmage lied on the 5th at Dansville, N. Y. The rocks off Cape Hawk during a gale. emains were to be taken to Brooklyn for interment.

MESSRS. HORR and Harvey, according o agreement, gave to the press on the ith a summary of their views about the late debate between them on the in the boats. It was thought that silver question.

SENATOR PEFFER, of Kansas, was the principal speaker at the meeting of populists in Fort Worth, Tex., on the 7th. He arraigned the present administration for its financial policy and there, between 2,500 townsite settlers accused Carlisle of law breaking in issuing bonds; spoke in favor of the goner, Harris and Clapp, who claimed Omaha platform, and denied that he as homesteaders, in favor of the townwas in favor of a new party.

THE United States commissioner of labor has forwarded to the secretary of the interior his report on the operations of the eleventh census during the fiscal year 1894-5. Seven volumes of the report, giving the names of the veterans of the war, their rank, service and present address, have been turned over to the pension office. These returns will be of great value to soldiers wishing to complete their

Hon. R. G. Honn and A. J. Warner debated the money question at Lakeside, O., on the 7th. They were greeted by a large audience. It was impossible to decide the direction in which the sympathies of the audience lay, as each happy hit of either speaker was equally followed by applause.

JUSTICE HOWELL E. JACKSON, of the United States supreme court, died on the 8th at his home near Nashville, Tenn. He had long been ill of consumption, but in the spring was able to sit on the rehearing of the income tax cases and assist in overthrowing that law. He was appointed by President Harrison to succeed the late Justice Lamar on the supreme bench

MISCELLANEOUS.

A BIG crowd at Buffalo, N. Y., on the months. Coleman is said to be the son | Joe Patchen and Robert J. for the suremney. Patchen repeated his Cleveland victory on Robert's own stamping ground, but was forced to put in four faster heats than he did before. The four heats averaged 2:05 4. The purse was \$5,000.

MRS. ANNIE T. GARDINER, the missing Christian Endeavor delegate of Arcadia, Neb., to Boston, who was found living as a domestic at Norwich, Conn., returned home with her husband's friend who found her. She stoutly maintained that she was not

insane. THE school census of Nashville, Tenn., shows the population to be 82,-374, of which 37,654 are negroes, an increase in one year of 8,268. This increase was causing much comment.

A senious accident occurred on the Atlantic & Pacific railroad at Grant station, about 100 miles west of Albuquerque, N. M., on the night of the th, two sleepers and two coaches of a train from San Francisco being ditched. It was reported that twelve people had been killed and twenty-five wounded.

Ir has been decided at Washington to institute suit at once to collect from renters of allotments to Indians in Oklahoma the amounts due the Indians. RICHARD LEACH was electrocuted at

Sing Sing, N. Y., on the 5th for the murder of his wife. There were no sensational features connected with the electrocution, which only occupied two minutes, and was completely suc-

THE Methodist church at Quakertown, Pa., was struck by lightning on the 4th and twenty persons were knocked senseless and it was feared that several deaths would result. A panic followed the stroke. The edifice was almost a wreck.

DURING an electrical storm on the 4th a party of nine persons in a fourhorse wagon took refuge under a tree near Hollidaysburg, Pa., and lightning struck the tree, killing one man and injuring several others, two prob-

THE New York World announced on the 4th that Mrs. John Angell, of Rouse's Point, Wyo., who claims to be the first wife of Jay Gould, and her daughter, said to be the first child of Jay Gould, had collected enough evidence and would begin suit for the possession of the entire estate of the dead millionaire.

ALL the business portion of Berlin Md., was destroyed by fire on the 4th, besides many residences. Loss \$200,000.

THE steamers Carrollton and Bis Sandy were burned to the water's edge at Cincinnati on the 5th. Loss, \$150,

Ar the hurdle racing at Saratoga, N Y., on the 3d Alchemist fell at a hurdle and broke his neck, dying instantly. Veach, his rider, was pulled out from under the horse, unconscious,

A SPECIAL from Croton, Ia., on the told of an alarming diphtheris epidemic there. All the children in me families had died. Quarantine had been established.

Horrible Shooting Affray Be tween Mississippians.

Juror Brown Denies His Interview .- Sun Strokes in Southern and Eastern Cities-Whole Lamily Accus-

Brandon, Miss., Aug. 10-A horrible shooting affray took place here at 9 o'clock this morning, in which T. Dabney Marshall, a prominent lawyer and member of the state legislature from Vicsburg, and two of his friends shot and killed R. T. Dinkins, agent of the Austin Road machine company. While standing on the platform of the depot Dinkins was approached by Marshall and his two companions, H.H. Coleman and . P. Fox of Vicksburg, Marshall walked up to Dinkins and said: "This is Mr. Dinkins," and placing a pistol at Dinkins' stomach fired the weapon, Dinkins grabbed the pistol just as it was fired, and posibly the first shot did not take effect. As Dinkins backed away from Marshall, there was a fusilade of shots from Marshall's companions. It is thought Dinkins fired Marshall's companions. member of the state legislature from ions. It is thought Dinkins fired Mar-shall's pistol at the latter, as it was found in his hand when dead.

stood at 106 degrees. Many were sun-struck and many outside businesses were suspended on account of the in-tense heat.

He Denies that He Ever Gave an Interview

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 10.—After an unsuccessful effort to complete the jury for the murder trial of Theodore Durrant today, the district attorney was permitted to question Juror Brown regarding his qualifications to serve. Brown related the history of the trial of M. D. Howell, charged with counterfeiting, from his point of view, Brown stated that no reporter had asked him anything about the Durrant case not had he made any remark about it to anyone since he had been sworn as a juror. He pronounced the alleged interview with him wholly untrue. The district attorney asked permission to on the Durrant Case. district attorney asked permission to use a peremptory challenge on Juror Brown. The court took the motion district attorney asked permission to use a peremptory challenge on Juror Brown. The court took the motion under advisement until Monday.

The managing and city editors of the Examiner and Chronicle were in court to answer to a citation but no refertors to answer to a citation but no reference to the court took the motion and the court took the motion and the court took the motion and the court took the motion at the court took the motion and the court took the cou to answer to a citation but no refer-ence was made to them by court or at-

ARRESTED ALL THE KELLARS. Whole Family Accused of a Murder Com-

of the Spring Valley (Ill.) Coal Co. on clared that no man, either white or sister, and John, a brother, were arrest-ed for the murder. It is alleged that Mrs. Keller, Daniel Keller and his sis-ter, Margaret, were the principals. Clara Shangs was the beautiful 17black, should work until the company year-old daughter of Frederick Shangs of Grange Corner. Clara visited the Keller home frequently and Mrs. Kel-ler accused her of being too intimate with her husband. After she was killed John is charged with carrying the dead body to Wolf creek, half a mile M., on the 6th, sent water down the canyon 15 feet high. Several houses in. away, and throwing it in. canyon were washed away, while

SAME OLD THING AGAIN.

London, Aug. 10—The Times this morning published an editorial on the split in the New York police force in which it says: "I is greatly to be feared that Colonel Grant's action will stir all the old forces of corruption and misgovernment to renewed efforts It is only too probable that the mischief by his indiscretions cannot be undone. Tammany will strain every nerve at the autumn election and will perhaps succeed as it has succeed as it ha Big Stone Gap, Va., and four of his haps succeed as it has succeeded after previous disasters. Its success would be a public calamity."

STATUTE HAD A HOLE IN IT. Defaulting Treasurer Taylor will Get No

Pierre, S. D., Aug. 10—The Taylor de-falcation is about to be cleared up and the defaulting treasurer will be senten-ced Tuesday. His bondsmen and him-self this morning turned over to the state treasurer \$100,000 in checks and drafts as is t agreed that they should when he surrendered himself in June. The bondsmen will make up the balance. The statute on which it was thought Taylor would be sentenced for twenty years is found defective and two years will be the maximum.

Hennessey, O. T., Aug.

LO IN VARIOUS ASPECTS.

At El Reno He is Discussed as He is in Fiction, Pancy and Fact.

El Reno, O. T., Aug. 8-(Special.)attendance at the Indian institute is increasing and opened this morning with the opera house fully crowded. Professor C. P. Cornellus, s BOTH PARTIES MEN OF PROMINENCE full blood Indian from Seymour, Wis. is taking a very active part in all the proceedings.
Professor Vietes opened the morn-

ing session as presiding officer and Superintendent G. S. Pigg opened the discussion by reading a paper entitled "A Plan for Industrial Work," and was fol lowed by Dr. Heineman, who gave a description of original kindergarten work; not a room with a stone or wooden floor but an actual outdoor garden, where the children would learn the practical management of flowers and vegetable beds. Rev. Sanford advocated the teaching of fruit tree culture of Mr Many Indians living in a country where the soil and climatic conditions were favorable to the propagation of orchards. Professor J. H. Pearce strongly endorsed an actual kindergart en and stated that the preliminary steps had been taken to establish one at the Haskell institute. Professor Seger asserted that as a rule Indian children are apt scholars. Under proper training they try to excel each other

bination lock, which guards a steel safe. Inside the safe again are two heavy Yale padlocks, opening with dif-ferent keys. The large hasp which ferent keys. The large hasp which fastens the doors is also fastened with a third lock, requiring another and different key. It is said that the deputies told the prisoners to get into the cells, which they did. The deputies are then supposed to have gone away to lock the cells. Thi locks and fastenings bear no evidence of having been tampered with tampered with.

Deputy Bell who was acting as jailor

had assured the prisoners that it any of them got away from him that they should have a gold watch and chain. It was probably in anticipation of the fulfillment of this promise that the prisoners left in the jail the follow-

ing note:
"To Henry and Jim: You made a blow about anybody who got out got a gold watch and chain. Please send it to me. I could got bonds, but want-

es belongs to a prominent Populist, and he is raising merry hades this morn-

Detective Clark's Long Career as an Officer of the Law is Ended.

Bloomington, Ind., Aug. 10.—Four weeks ago, Clara Shangs was found dead in this vicinity. A mystery has prevailed ever since. Tonight Daniel town marshal and ex-deputy sheriff prevailed ever since. Tonight Daniel town marshal and ex-deputy sheriff Keller, his wife, Nancy, Margaret, a sister, and John, a brother, were arrest-street in company with "Mexican Sam" today. The assassin was hidden in an aperture between buildings and when Clarke was fifty feet distant he jumped to the sidewalk with a Winchester and fired. The assassin escaped.

FRANK HAZLETT BROUGHT IN. Captured in Kansas and Returned to Okla

Perry, O. T., Aug. 8—(Special)—
Sheriff Hansen arrived today from McLouth, Kan., with Frank Hazjett, one of the two alleged cattle thieves who created such a sensation two weeks ago on the Black Bear north of this city, at which time their horse.

Perry, O. T., Aug. 8.—(Special.)—William Mason, a laborer in the employe of the Water Works company, was seriously injured this morning by a fly-ing windlass. His skull was laid bare and he was picked up insensible by his fellow employes and taken to the com-

Texps Fever Stamped Out Ottawa, Kan., Aug. 8.—United States Sanitary Inspector Dean was in the city today and investigated the Texas fever cases at the Welsh farm. He found that so rigorously and success-fully had the disease been combatted that no other herds were affected. It

is believed that the scourge has been

McShen Wins on Habens Corpus.

two years will be the maximum.

Wichita, Kan., Aug. 10—Harry, the six year old son of J. H. Purdy was drowned in a mysterious manner in the Little river, on Tuesday last. The body was recovered yesterday

McShea Wins on Habeas Corpus.

Hennessey, O. T., Aug. 8—(Special.)—Justice Burford of the supreme court held today in the application for a writ of habeas corpus by Postmaster McShea that the evidence before Gaskell was not sufficient to hold the defendant for the charge of burglary and assault with intent to commit rape.

MAY BE OLNEY.

He is Montioned as Justice Jack-

son's Successor. MINISTER DENBY MAKES DEMANDS.

Friends of the Missionaries Urge Action Bland Not a Candidate for President, for Governor or Any-

Washington, Aug. 10 -There are persons whose relations with the president are of the closest character who be for Justice Jackson's successor on the supreme bench will be Mr. Olney, the secretary of state. It is known he plac es implicit confidence in the soundness of Mr. Olney's opinions on all important legal questions which come before him, and that he fully appreciates the great assistance Mr. Olney has rendered him in the disposition of the great questions that have arisen during the last two years. Whether Mr. Olney's residence in Massachusetts will render him unavailable it is not known but it is the opinion of many well informed persons here that but for this formed persons here that but for this objection he would surely be the man. Next to him Mr. Rufus Peckham is thought by many to be the most likely to receive the nomination.

to Australia, was wrecked on the Seal packed of a gale. The passengers, who numbered serventy to the seal of the seal of about from Marshall's company to the passengers, who numbered serventy to the seal of the marshall was the passengers, who numbered serventy to the seal of the marshall was the passengers, who numbered serventy to the seal of the marshall was the passengers, who numbered serventy to the seal of the marshall was the passengers, who numbered serventy the passengers, who numbered server the passengers and th

not called upon the navy for any ship or force to land and proceed into the interior. Minister Denby has aputhority to call upon Admiral Carpenter for United States forces and under his in-structions the admiral is bound to fur-nish them.

Both state and navy departments believe that the United States represent-atives on the ground, clothed with ample power, are better able to act for the best than those here in Washington Accordingly Secretary McAdoo said today that he could give Admiral Carpenter no instructions, especially as Minister Denby had not asked that anything be done. As to the suggestion that the admiral should send a force in house he said that the minister of the suggestion of the force in boats he said that the minister and admiral were better able to know whether such a course was wise. It might be a sacrifice of men to send them several hundred miles in the interior. The British government had more cause for making a december. derior. The British government had more cause for making a demonstraflon than the United States and yet no
English forces had been sent to the
scene of the trouble. Mr. McAdoo said
that an order from him to Admiral
Carpenter might wholly interfere with
plans or operations, the commander
had in view or under way.

Shanghal, China, Aug. 10—The Americans here have sent a cable dispatch

cans here have sent a cable dispatch to President Cleveland protesting against United States Minister Denby's action in consenting that the British consul should represent America in consul should represent They recom-the Szrehun inquiry. They recom-mend a reconstrution of the commission by sending an American official of ade-quate rank and the exclusion of impli-cated Chinese officials. They also cated Chinese officials. They also recommend that a marine escort ac-

company the commission.

London, Eng., Aug. 10.—A dispatch to the Times from Berlin says: It is stated here that the pope has written to Emperor William requesting him to take the Catholic missions in China under his protection. New York, Aug. 18—Rev. A. B. Leo-

Mew fork, Aug. 10—Rev. A. B. Leonard. corresponding secretary of the Methodist Episcopal board of foreign missions fears further violence to the Americans in China. Speaking today of the cablegram received by him yesterady from the mislsonaries at Foo Chow appealing to him to arouse the authorities to the necessity for action he said:

have wired the secretary of state at Washington urging him of the ne-cessity to act promptly for the safety of our citizens in China and asekd to be advised of what steps would be taken. I have as yet received no re-

ply.
"I understand that Mr. Olney is at Buzzards Bay and that Mr. Uhl is in Europe. I do not know who is in charge of the department nor do I know what is being done in this grave situation.
"I do not like to criticize but I do

know that our missionaries are praying for the presence among them of the government's defensive strength and they are not the kind of people to ask it if it is not badly needed. It is also certain that if our missionaries are in danger so are all of the Americans and

danger so are all of the Americans and foreigners in China."

Washington, Aug. 10—The retirement of Colonel Henry Abbott of the corps of engineers, will bring about many changes in the stations of the officers composing the force. Colonel Abbott was the last member of the corps breveted brigadier general. He is in his 64th year, and retires according to law. His retirement will permit Lieutenant Colonel Peter C. Haines to be colonel, Major William Ludlow to be lieutenant colonel. Captain oseph H. Willard to be major, First Lieutenant James F. Sanford to be captain, Second Lieutenant Cherles Keller to be first lieutenant and George P. Powell to be second lieutenant.

TRERE'S MONEY ON HAND.

Raster Cermish Recommends a Payment on Union Pacific Bonds.
Omaha, Neb., Aug. P.—Judge W. D. Cornish, master in chancery in the Union Pacific foreclosure cases, today for pleted his report on the petition of the American Loan and Trust company as trustee, seeking for the payment of default principal and interest on the equipment trust bonds of the Union Pacific. The reports find that there is money on hand upon which these bonds have a claim and recommends an crier allowing payment of past due principal and interest. These bonds were issued in October, 1887, in payment for a lot of new equipment bought at that time and amounted to \$3,541,000, due in install ments of agout one-eighth each year.

ARGUMENTS ARE ALL IN.

Omalia Police Commissioner Case Taken Under Advisement.

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 16.—Arguments in the case brounght by Mayor Bemis and the members of the board of police commissioners by which they sought to secure an injunction against the A. P. A. board to restrain its members from acting or attempting to act as police commissioners of the city of Omana and interfering with the discipline of the police force of the city, were completed at 3 o'clock today, Judge Hopewell announcing that he would hand down a decision at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

MINES RIGHT IN TOWN.

Hard to Distinguish I ctween Town Lots Hard to Distinguish I etwees Town Lots and Mining Claims.

Gunnison, Aug. F.—There is considerable excitement at Fulton, the new town on Camp creek, south of this city, over the jumping of town lots. Big mines, the Vuican and the Mammoth Chimney are situated right in town. Owing to the fact that they are working men and finding rich ore, a large number of people are coming in. The newcomers took possession of lots and several combate resulted. No one has been killed yet. Sheriff Deering went out today to prevent further trouble.

Pond Creek, O. T., Aug.ic.—The pre-liminary examination of Frank Oliver, charged with aiding prisoners to escape fron. jail, was finished today before Justice of the Peace Easton, the court taking the case under advisement and reserving his decision until tomorrow.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Live Stock, Etc

Chleuge Markets. The leading futures ranged as follows: Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Clos. Wheat-Wheat
Aug
Sept
Dec
Corn, No. 2
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No. 2
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No. 2
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No. 3 May
Oats, No. 2—
Aug
Sept
May
Mess Pork—
Sept
Jan
Lard—
Sept
Jan
Short Ribs—
Sept
Oct
Jan

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Quiet: easy. No. 2 apring wheat, 67%6684c; No. 2, 144636c; No. 2 red. 67%6684c. No. 2 corn.

GRAIN MOVEMENT Articles.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Aug. 9.—Wheat—One cent higher; No. 2 hard, 65½667c; No. 2 red, 65670c; rejected, 51653c.

Corn—One-half and 1 cent higher; No. 2 mixed, 35½635½c; No. 2 white, 35½c.
Oats—Firmer; No. 2 mixed, 19415½c; No. 2 white, 23c.
Rye—No. 2, 42½643c.
Bran—Firm, 50669c.
Hay—Strong, active; timothy, \$3.00\$10.00; prairie, \$6.50\$7.00.

Butter—One-half cent higher; creamery, 14½617c; dairy, 12614c.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Cattle—About 4.508 head arrived today, making 51,311 for the week, an increase of nearly 7,700 over the same time last week. There was a good general demand, and prices were sleady and unchanged. The offerings included about 1,500 western rangers and 5,000 Texans. Especial activity is noticed in stockers and feeders and about 1,500 head were snipped from here on Wednesday. Good western range cattle sen particularly well. Among these sold tod 5,7 7,111 Montans Texans, averaging 1,120 pounds, at \$4.30. and 420 Dakotas averaging 1,277 pounds, at \$4.10. Hogs—Only about 11,000 head arrived today, compared with 34,816 head a year ago, and the entire supply of fresh and stale hogs was less than 16,000 head. The démand was rather better that usual and prices were 5 cents per 100 higher as a rule, shippers being the best buyers of choice light hogs. Common to choice heavy hogs sold at 18,3074.9; mixed lota 18,3075.00, and light weights at 46.56 and 25. Sheep—Apparently there is no limit to

Kansas City, Aug. 2 -Cattle-Receipts, 7,200; shipments, 700; market steady to atrong; Texas steers, 22,5063.75; beef steers 22,2565.60; stockers and feeders, 32,7064.50; Hogs-Receipts, 4,000; shipments, 500; market strong to 10 cents higher; bulk of sales, 34,4564.75; heavies, 34,2564.50; packers, 34,2564.55; yorkers, 34,2564.55; pigs, 34,7064.55; Sheep-Receipts, 1,700; shipments nune; market steady.